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TAGS: EFIN, BE

SUBJ: BNB RAISES DISCOUNT RATE

BELGIAN NATIONAL BANK (BNB) HAS RAISED DISCOUNT RATE FROM
6.5 TO 7 PERCENT, EFFECTIVE OCT. 4. BNB DESCRIBED INCREASE
BOTH AS TECHNICAL REACTION TO RISING MARKET RATES AND AS FURTHER
EFFORT TO DAMPEN INFLATIONARY PRESSURES "WHICH SHOW NO SIGNS
OF ABATING". INCREASE IS FOURTH SO FAR THIS YEAR.
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